THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI L.K. ADVANI): (a) to (c) Pursuant to the Delhi High Court's orders dated 11.5.1999 directing the Central Bureau of Investigation to set up a computerisation data bank in regard to criminal gangs involved in kidnappings, a Cell, known as the Criminal Intelligence Cell, was constituted on 24.8.1999. All the Chief Secretaries of State Governments / UT Adminstrations and the Director Generals of Police have been requested to send relevant information relating to criminal gangs involved in kidnappings, etc. to the Central Bureau of Investigation. According to CBI information has started flowing in. The Central Bureau of Investigation has also started sharing information with the State Police Forces.

Dues of Coal Industry against SEBS

†*159. SHRI BARJINDER SINGH HAMDARD:
SHRI RAJ MOHINDER SINGH:

WM the Minister of MINES AND MINERALS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a large amount is to be paid by different State Electricity Boards to coal industry on account of coal supply;

(b) if so, details of amount pending against each of the Electricity Board;

(c) since when this amount is due;

(d) whether it is also a fact that as a result of non-recovery of dues amount, Coal producing units are being compelled to minimise or stop their production; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF MINES AND MINERALS (SHRI NAVEEN PATNAIK): (a) to (c) The details of coal sale dues of Coal India Limited (CIL) against various State Electricity Boards and other power companies as on 31.10.99 is given in the statement. *(See* below)

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(d) and (e) It is not a fact. Large overdues however affect the internal resource position of CIL, particularly when the Government does not extend any budgetary support.

Statement

(Rs. in crores)

SI. No	Name of SEBs/PCs	Out Standing dues as on 31.10.99	Dues for more than six months	Dues for less than six months
1.	Bihar State Electricity Board	277.02	277.00	0.02
2.	Uttar State Electricity Board	447.99	437.39	10.60
3.	Punjab State Electricity Board	263.77	228.33	35.44
4.	Tamilnadu Electricity Board	319.38	141.30	178.08
5.	Haryana State Electricity Board	57.51	40.73	16.78
6.	Rajasthan State Electricity Board	74.00	50.91	23.09
7.	Maharashtra State Electricity Board	847.92	688.73	159.19
8.	Madhya Pradesh State Electricity Board	. 616.79	118.61	498.18
9.	Gujarat Electricity Board	584.87	467.92	116.95
10.	West Bengal State Electricity Board	170.82	57.23	113.59
11.	West Bengal Power Development Corpn.	388.38	283.30	105.08
12.	Andhra Pradesh Power Generation Corpn.	7.42	3.98	3.44
13.	Assam State Electricity Board	-0.02	—	-0.02
14.	Karnataka Power Corporation Ltd.	21.62	0.00	21.62
15.	Durgapur Project Limited	128.21	81.94	46.27
16.	Damodar Valley Corporation	109.78	77.27	32.51
17.	Delhi Vidyut Board (DVB)	38.49	27.41	11.08
18.	Badarpur Thermal Power Station	531.13	518.54	12.59
19.	National Thermal Power Corpn	166.98	79.52	87.46
20.	Calcutta Electricity Supply Corpn.	19.12	1.21	17.91
21.	Ahmedabad Electricity Corpn.	23.34	13.75	9.59
22.	Bombai Suburban Electricity Supply	*-4.38	-0.00	-4.38
23.	Diesgarh Power Supply	4.59	0.10	4.49
24.	Tenughat Vidyut Nigam Ltd.	9.49	16.63	-7.14
25.	Hirakud Power Corpn. Ltd.	-2.14	0/0	-2.14
26.	Orissa Power Generation Corpn.	1.76	-0.00	1.76
27.	Renusagar Power Company	0.12	0.12	—
	TOTAL	5103.96	3611.92	1492.04